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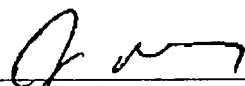
COMMENTS ON REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

The "Statement of Reasons for Allowance" might misleadingly summarize the record as a whole, and consequently Applicant does not acquiesce in it. For example, the statement alleges that certain features "distinguish" the claims as though other limitations do not impart patentability when it is axiomatic that a claim as a whole is patentable. Further, the statement incorrectly implies that certain language from Claim 7 appears verbatim in Claim 11, when this is not the case. Each claim stands on its own recitation.

Respectfully submitted,



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